

DECLARATION FOR NON-PROVISIONAL PATENT APPLICATION*

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**GOLF BALL CORE COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING HIGH VICAT SOFTENING
TEMPERATURE, RESILIENT THERMOPLASTIC MATERIALS**

and for which a patent application:

- is attached hereto
- was filed in the United States on as Application No. (for declaration not accompanying application)
- with amendment(s) filed on (if applicable)
- was filed as PCT international Application No. on and was amended under PCT Article 19 on (if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119(a)-(d) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

ACUSHNET COMPANY, the assignee of the captioned application as evidenced by the attached copy of a an assignment recorded at Reel 012144, Frame 0648 on August 29, 2001, by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, hereby cancels all previous Powers of Attorney in the captioned application and hereby appoints the following attorneys to prosecute this application and transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: o

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Date: January 10, 2002

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